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1. I am the manager of the patent department of Sony Computer Entertainment Inc. – the assignee of the above-referenced patent application. The patent department was established on April 1, 2008 due to structure change of the legal department. I had been the manager of the legal department of Sony Computer Entertainment, Inc. since May 1, 2003. In my capacity as manager of the legal department of Sony Computer Entertainment Inc., I was authorized to act on behalf of Sony Computer Entertainment Inc. in matters related to patents and patent applications of Sony Computer Entertainment Inc.
2. Hiroshi Yamamoto is the sole inventor of the subject matter of the above-identified patent application.